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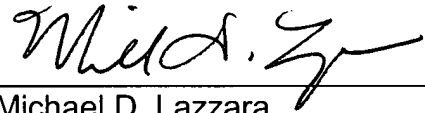
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I hereby declare that I am empowered to sign this Statement on behalf of the Assignee and that all statements herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

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